

AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph on page 6, lines 7 to 14 with the following amended paragraph:

Style definitions can be applied to documents and their elements in one of four ways, i.e., using the <LINK> attribute to point to an external style sheet, using the <STYLE> element within the <HEAD> of a document, using the @import mechanism (similar to the <LINK> method above, this allows the importing of external style sheets.), and using the STYLE attribute in an element. This ~~(to which does the "this" refer?)~~ last way is allowed for any elements allowed within the <BODY> of a HTML document. There are various methods for denoting the style declaration and all use separate methods within HTML to determine the style to be used.